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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is in response to the Official Action dated October 4, 2005. Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Add claim 13 and amend claims 1, 4, 6, 11 and 12 as follows:

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